It is Sunday the 31st August 2008 and here is ANARTS with our weekly RTTY news bringing you - cast 1510.
Views expressed in this news bulletin are not necessarily those of the Broadcast Officer, the Relay Officers, or of the Society.
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A.N.A.R.T.S. News Bulletin 1510 for 31st August 2008
The DX Magazine 2008 Most Wanted Survey is now up and running on the web site www.dxpub.com/dx_survey2008.html. I would like to stress the need for everyone to submit your needed countries lists to N4AA, Carl, at The DX Magazine, because this is what DXpeditioners use to decide where to go.
Check each block as necessary to indicate your needs on the various modes and click SUBMIT at the bottom. There is also a box at the bottom for comments. Results will be published in the January/February issue of The DX Magazine. Oh and please pass this email to your DX club and DX friends.

IPS Weekly Solar and Geophysical Report for 22nd to 28th August, issued on 29th August by the IPS Radio and Space Services
SUMMARY

Date	22	23	24	25	26	27	28
10cm flux	68	68	67	67	67	67	66
AFr index	2	2	2	1	1	2 (	4 estimated)
Aaus index	4	3	3	2	2	3 (	2 estimated)
T index	-6	-7	-5	-4	-8	-2	-6

Solar flare activity was very low all week.
Geomagnetic activity observed for the Australian Region was quiet over the period.
Southern Australian Ionospheric F2 critical frequencies were near predicted to 15 per cent enhanced on 22nd, 26th and 28th; near predicted on 23rd; near predicted to 30 per cent enhanced on 24th and 27th; and near predicted to 20 per cent enhanced on 25th.
Forecast for 29th August to 4th September
Solar activity should be low.
Geomagnetic activity should see quiet conditions.
Frequencies should be mostly near predicted monthly values.
courtesy of the IPS Radio and Space Services
summary by Pat Leeper VK2JPA

The VK2SG RTTY DX Notes were not received this week, so we offer the following:
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**** DX INFORMATION ****
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Edited by I1JQJ & IK1ADH
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5R - Jack/F1BCS, Jim/F1HDI, Gil/F5JBE, Remy/F6ABJ, Michel/F6COW, Oliver/F6EIE and Dan/F6EPD will be active from Sainte-Marie Island (AF-090) on 18-27 September. They plan to operate on 160-6 metres as 5R8GM (SSB), 5R8JM (CW) and 5R8IM (digital modes), while 5R8EM will be used on 2m EME JT65 (144.114). QSL via F1BCS. [TNX W1AW]
8Q - Igor, UA9KDF will be active as 8Q7FD from the Maldives (AS-013) from 30 August to 11 September. He will operate PSK and RTTY. [TNX The Daily DX]
CT - The Algarve DX Group will be active with eleven different CT7CA* callsigns from as many Portuguese castles and fortresses on 6-7 September. QSL via CT1GFK. Further information can be found at http://ct7ca.blogspot.com/ [TNX F5NQL]
F - Members of the Radio Club Haute Saintonge (F5KLJ) will be active as TM1MAD from Ile Madame (not IOTA, DIFM AT-024) on 6-7 September. They plan to operate CW, SSB and digital modes on 80-10 metres. [TNX F5NQL]

HK - Pico, EA7ATX and Juan Luis, EA7AY expect to be in Colombia starting on 4 September for quite a few weeks. They plan to be active as HK1AT and to operate from the San Bernardo Islands (SA-078) on 14-19 October. QSL via EA7ATX, direct only (proceeds will be donated to charity). [TNX www.dxfun.com]
I - Marco, IN3UFW and others will operate on all bands and modes as IN3IPY through the end of the year to celebrate the International Polar Year. QSL via IN3UFW, direct or bureau. [TNX IN3UFW]
KL - John, KL7HBK might go and be active from Barter Island (NA-050) "in the next week or two". His schedule is still uncertain, as it depends on weather and work commitments. [TNX The Daily DX]
P4 - Roy/W3TEF, Bob/W3BTX and Joop/P43JB will operate again as P41USA from Aruba (SA-036) on 3-12 September. Expect activity on 160-2 metres. The special callsign marks the anniversary of the tragic events occurred on 11 September 2001. QSL via W3TEF. [TNX NG3K]
S2 - S21RC, S21AM and other operators from Bangladesh are planning to be active from St. Martin's Island, in the rare AS-127 IOTA group, for six days in December. Actual dates and callsign are pending, and at the moment they are looking for support. Please visit http://s2iota.eb7dx.com/ or e-mail David, EB7DX (eb7dx@eb7dx.com) if willing to help them. [TNX EB7DX]
SV - The SX8WT activity from Alonnisos Island (EU-072) will be shorter than previously announced [425DXN 893], and will now take place from 29 August to 2 September. QSL via SV2HPP. [TNX SV2FPU]
SV - One of the most important founding figures in Western Philosophy, Aristotle was born 24 centuries ago in Stageira. Commemorating that event, SV2GWY, SV2XI, SV7HRJ and SW2HQF will be active as SX24STG during the IARU Region 1 Field Day (6-7 September). QSL via SV2GWY.
T2 - Aki, JA1KAJ will be active from Tuvalu (OC-015) on 2-8 September. He plans to operate SSB, CW, RTTY and possibly on PSK31 and SSTV on 80-10 metres, with a 3-element yagi and a long wire for the low bands. QSL via JA1KAJ, direct or bureau. [TNX The Daily DX]
UA - RA0LD, RU0LL, RU0LM, RW0LBM, RW0LC and RW0LZ will be active as R0L/p from Opasnyy Island (IOTA status to be determined, RRA RR-16-10) on 2-7 September. QSL via IK2DUW. [TNX IK2DUW]
PACIFIC TRIP ---> Ulli, DL2AH and Willis, DJ7RJ are going to Apia, Samoa (5W) and then to Nukumanu, Tokelau (OC-048) for three weeks, tentatively starting around 2-5 September. After that, they will return to 5W before going on to their next destination. DL2AH has a mind to visit Mauna Island (OC-077), American Samoa between 7 and 27 October and Tonga between 29 October and 9 November. DJ7RJ will fly back to Los Angeles on 21 October.
SCANDINAVIA TOUR ---> Gabi, DF9TM and Frank, DL2SWW will be visiting and operating from Sweden (SD7M and SD7W), Finland (OH/homecall) and the Aland Islands (OH0/homecall) between 5 and 23 September. They plan to be active from IOTA groups EU-002, EU-084, EU-087, EU-096, EU-101 and EU-173. QSL via home calls. Updates on their itinerary will be available at http://www.iota-expedition.com/scand/scand.html [TNX DL2VFR]

ARLD036 DX news for 28th August 2008
MONACO, 3A. Patrice, F5RBB will be QRV as 3A/F5RBB from August 31 to September 10. Activity will be on 40, 20, 15 and 10 meters. QSL to home call.
NAMIBIA, V5. Gus is QRV as V51XG and has been active on 80 meters around 2345z and then around 0145z. QSL via DL8AL.
MALAWI, 7Q. Ely, IN3VZE is QRV as 7Q7CE from the Southwest shore of Lake Malawi until September 11. Activity is mostly holiday style on all bands, using SSB and RTTY. QSL to home call.
MALDIVES, 8Q. Werner, DL1BKK and Gate, DL1BKI are QRV as 8Q7KK from Kuramathi Island, IOTA AS-013, until September 17. Activity is on the HF bands holiday style while here during their 40th wedding anniversary. This includes activity on 6 meters if propagation permits. QSL via DL1BKK.

CANARY ISLANDS, EA8. George, GM0IIO is QRV as EA8/GM0IIO from Playa Blanca, Lanzarote Island, IOTA AF-004, until August 31. Activity is holiday style, mainly on 20 meters using CW and SSB. QSL to home call.
THAILAND, HS. Chai, E20WXA has been QRV on 20 meters around 1300z.
MARIANA ISLANDS, KH0. Satoshi, N2QP will be QRV as KH0/N2QP from Saipan, IOTA OC-086, from September 4 to 8. This includes an entry in the upcoming All Asia SSB DX contest. QSL direct to home call.
ALAND ISLANDS, OH0. Peter, DL5FF and Siegfried, DL9ZE are QRV as OH0JWL and OH0/DL9ZE, respectively, from Eckeroe Island until September 7. Activity is on 40, 30, 20 and 15 meters using CW, SSB and RTTY. QSL to home calls.
NETHERLANDS, PA. In commemoration of 90 years of the history of Corus Stahl Ijmuiden, special event call PA90CORUS will be QRV from September 1 to 28. Activity is on all bands and modes. QSL via PB7CW.
FRANZ JOSEF ISLANDS, R1FJ. Jack is QRV as R1FJT and has been active on 40 meters around 0030z. QSL via UA4RC.
GREECE, SV. Laci, HA0HW will be QRV as J48HW and SV8/homecall from Thassos Island, IOTA EU-174, from August 30 to September 10. Activity will be on the HF bands using mainly CW with some SSB, RTTY and PSK31. QSL to home call.
SWEDEN, SM. Jorgen, SM3CXS and Steen, SM3NXS are QRV as SG3U and SD3N, respectively, from Grimskar Island, IOTA EU-176, until August 31. Activity is on 80 to 10 meters using CW and SSB. QSL to home calls.
DODECANESE, SV5. Fred, PA1FJ will be QRV as SV5/PA1FJ from Kos Island, IOTA EU-001, from August 31 to September 9. This includes possible activity from Lighthouse WLOTA LH 1730. QSL to home call.
ASIATIC RUSSIA. A team of operators plan to be QRV as UE0MAC/0, UA6LP/0 and RZ6MZ/0 from Vrangel Island, IOTA AS-027, beginning the end of August. Their length of stay is unknown and dependent on the Arctic weather.
CAMBODIA, XU. Yu, 7K3BKY will be QRV as XU7YYY from Sihanoukville from September 3 to 8. Activity will be on the HF bands using mainly CW. This also includes a possible entry in the upcoming All Asia SSB DX contest. QSL to home call.
ASCENSION ISLAND, ZD8. Steve, G3ZVW is QRV as ZD8N until September 11. Activity is on the HF bands using CW, SSB and RTTY in his evening hours and on weekends. QSL to home call.
CAYMAN ISLANDS, ZF. Jim, KD3YK will be QRV as ZF2JM from Grand Cayman from August 30 to September 11. Activity will be on 40 and 20 meters at 1030 to 1200z, and 2130 to 2300z, respectively, using QRP power on or near the QRP frequencies. QSL via operator's instructions.

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